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1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to public transit safety; creating s.
3 341.065, F.S.; requiring such providers to give restroom
4 breaks to their drivers or operators of public
5 conveyances; providing an exception; providing an
6 effective date.

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8 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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10 Section 1. Section 341.065, Florida Statutes, is created to
11 read:

12 341.065 Public transit providers; required restroom
13 breaks.--

14 (1) A public transit provider must give each driver or
15 operator of a public conveyance in the transit system a paid 10-
16 minute restroom break for each 4-hour period or major part of
17 such period worked.

18 (2) However, a public transit provider may provide
19 appropriate break periods, pursuant to a collective bargaining
20 agreement, which differ from those required in this section.

21 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2008.